



Docket No. 500.36898VX1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:
H. NAKAMOTO, et al. : Group Art Unit: 1764
Serial No. 09/511,158 : Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung
Filed: FEBRUARY 23, 2000 : Confirm. No: 4119
For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR CONTINUOUS POLYCONDENSATION

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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January 26, 2007

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 41.31, Applicants hereby appeal from the Final rejection of claims 16-37, as set forth in the Office Action mailed July 26, 2006.

A Petition for a three-month extension of time, and the requisite fee (\$1,020.00), is enclosed herewith.

Also enclosed is a credit card payment form, Form PTO-2038, authorizing the additional amount of \$500.00 to be paid for the requisite Appeal Fee.

Respectfully Submitted,

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